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SUBJECT: EMBASSY PRESS RELEASE ON GOHEEN-DESAI MEETING

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FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF A PRESS RELEASE
DISTRIBUTED BY THIS EMBASSY FRIDAY AFTERNOON FOLLOWING THE
MEETING BETWEEN THE AMBASSADOR AND PRIME MINISTER
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U.S. AMBASSADOR MEETS WITH PRIME MINISTER DESAI

THE AMBASSADOR OF THE UNITED STATES CALLED ON THE
PRIME MINISTER FRIDAY, MAY 27 TO PAY HIS RESPECTS AND
TO REPORT THE READINESS OF THE CARTER
ADMINISTRATION TO RECOMMEND TO THE US NUCLEAR REGULATORY
COMMISSION PROMPT APPROVAL OF THE PENDING LICENSE FOR
THE SHIPMENT OF FUEL FOR TARAPUR.

THE AMBASSADOR ALSO REPORTED THE DESIRE OF THE AMERICAN
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GOVERNMENT TO ENTER INTO NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ON ISSUES ARISING OUT OF NON-PROLIFERATION.
THE PRIME MINISTER STATED THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WELCOMED THIS INITIATIVE.

NEGOTIATIONS ARE ENVISIONED ON TWO LEVELS: ONE CONCERNED
WITH TECHNICAL PROBLEMS AND THE OTHER WITH MUCH BROADER

ISSUES RELATING TO THE NEW US EXPORT POLICY AND OUR
COMMON DESIRE TO PREVENT THE MISUSE OF NUCLEAR
ENERGY. NO PRECONDITIONS ARE ATTACHED TO THESE DISCUSSIONS.
THE OBJECTIVE IS AN EXPLORATION IN GOOD FAITH OF COMMON
INTERESTS AND POINTS OF DIFFERENCE. OUR HOPE IS THAT THESE
TALKS MAY LEAD TO BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF THE
RESPECTIVE APPROACHES AND TO EFFECTIVE COLLABORATION IN THE CONTROL
OF THE MORE DANGEROUS FORMS OF NUCLEAR ENERGY.

IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT ALL US SUPPLIES OF FUEL FOR
TARAPUR ARE UNDER IAEA SAFEGUARDS AND THAT
THERE IS ALSO AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE TWO GOVERNMENTS
THAT NONE OF THIS MATERIAL, INCLUDING ITS BY-PRODUCTS,
WILL BE USED FOR ANY PURPOSE EXCEPT THE OPERATION OF THE
TARAPUR REACTORS WITHOUT PRIOR APPROVAL OF THE US GOVERNMENT.
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